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In response to the Election / Restriction requirement dated June 21, 2004, applicant wishes to elect Group I, claims 1 to 5 for prosecution. The period for response having expired on July 21, 2004, applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee of \$110.00, along with any additional fees that may be required to maintain the pendency of this application to, Deposit Account 18-2056.

Respectfully submitted,

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